GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES- R&B Department – Verification of R&B work "Improvements to the road from NH-7 (Gollapalli) to Potlamarri (Damajipalli-Tadipatri road) via Uppenesaaapalli, Chigiiherla, Chinthalapalli from Km.0/0 to 16/0 road to Ananthapuramu District –Departmental proceedings initiated against Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) under rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued.

TRANSPORT ROADS & BUILDINGS (VIG.R&B)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.23

Dated:17.01.2023
Read the following:

1. From the D.G (VIG&ENFT) Dept, Vigilance Report No.45(C.N0.374-2/2 /V&E/Engg/2018-1), Dt.30-06-2021
2. Govt. Memo.No.RDBS/149/Vig(R&B)/2021-2 ,Dated:04/10/2021.
3. From the ENC(R&B) Admn, Letter No.7268/VC (1)/2022, dt.08.12.2022.

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an Inquiry against Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) in accordance with the procedure laid down in rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substances of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of each articles of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III and IV).

3. Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He is, therefore, directed to submit his written statement of defence within 10 days of the receipt of this order, specifically admitting or denying each article of charge.

4. Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules 1991 or the orders/ directions issued on pursuance of the said rules, the inquiring authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

5. Attention of Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) is invited to Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, which orders that no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) is aware of such representation and that, it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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6. The receipt of the memorandum be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri V.Raja Gopal, the then Executive Engineer R&B Division, Dharmavaram, (presently Executive Engineer R&B Division, Kalyanadurgam) through ENC(R&B) Admn, A.P, Vijayawada.
The Engineer-In-Chief (R&B), Vijayawada. (He is requested to serve the Articles of Charge on the charged officer duly obtaining acknowledgement with dated Signature and send the same for record.)
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

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